

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Gillston, *et al.*

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**CATALYTIC COMBUSTION SURFACES
AND METHOD FOR CREATING
CATALYTIC COMBUSTION SURFACES**

Commissioner for Patents
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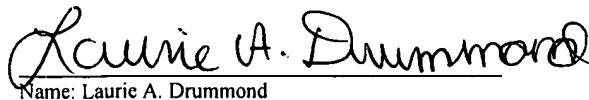
PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the time for filing a Response to the Office Action mailed February 28, 2008 by three months. The *Amendment and Response to Fifth Office Action* is being filed on August 27, 2008. A credit card payment form authorizing the amount of \$1,115.00.00 is enclosed herewith for the required fee.

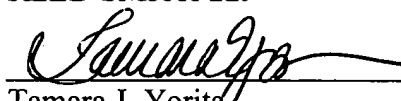
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-0586.

I hereby certify that the attached Amendment and Response, and any document referred to as being attached or included, is being deposited with the "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service of the United States Postal Service in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on August 27, 2008. The number of the "Express Mail" mailing label EV 699 485 595 US has been placed on the accompanying correspondence prior to mailing. It is therefore respectfully requested that the attached be considered as having been filed in the Office on the date shown above in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.10.


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